

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ ದೇವರಾಜ್ ಅರಸ್ — ಫೇರಾವೊ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ಇದು ಡಿಲೇ ಆಗುತ್ತಿದೆಯೆಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಇನ್ನೂ ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿ ತನಿಖೆಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಮುಂಚೆ ಏನು ಕ್ರಮವನ್ನೂ ಸಹ ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಪೋಲೀಸರು ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಗೆ ಸುಮ್ಮನೆ ನುಗ್ಗುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಮ್ಯಾನ್‌ಜೇಮೆಂಟ್ ನವರನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿ ಅಗತ್ಯಬಿದ್ದರೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪೋಲೀಸಿನವರು ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಾರೆ. ವಿನಾಕಾರಣ ಹೋದರೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿನ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರಿಗೆ ಬೇಜಾರು ಆಗಬಹುದು. ಪೋಲೀಸಿನವರು ಸದಾ ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಬರುತ್ತಾರೆಂಬ ಸುದ್ದಿ ಬೇರೆ. ಅವರು ಅದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತನಿಖೆ ಹೀಗೇ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆಂದು ಹೇಳುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ii re. theft of money near Hassan by the Reserve Police Sub-Inspectors and others.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಂಗಾರಪ್ಪ (ಸೋರಬ).—ನಾನು ನನಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆ ಯನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆದು ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಮುಂದೆ ವಂಡಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ನನ್ನ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆ ಈ ರೀತಿ ಇದೆ :—

‘ಹಾಸನದ ಬಳಿಯ ದಾಸರಕೊಪ್ಪಲಿನ ಶ್ರೀ ರಾಮೇಗೌಡ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿದ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಮಿಸಲಾ ಪಡೆಯ ಸುಬ್ ಇನ್‌ಸ್ಪೆಕ್ಟರ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರರು ಕಳ್ಳತನ ಮಾಡಿರಾಕೆ ವಿಚಾರವನ್ನು ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರಾತ್ತಿದ್ದೇನೆ ;

SRI D. DEVARAJ UR (Chief Minister) Sir I make the following statement.

On 30-3-1974 at 11 A.M. one Sri Ramegowda son of Lakkegowda resident of Dasarakoppa village, Hassan Taluk, appeared at Hassan Rural Police Station and presented a written complaint to the Police Sub-Inspector stating that on 18-3-1974, when he was selling his food grains, such as Ragi, Jowar and Jaggery at the Regulated Market Yard at Hassan, four persons namely (1) Harijan Papiah of Dasarakoppa (2) Chikkagowda of Dasarakoppa (3) Mariappa of Hassan; and (4) Changappa of Hassan approached him and requested him to advance a sum of Rs 5,000/- by way of mortgaging the house of Mariappa situated in Hassan Town as he was in urgent need of money. On his refusal to comply with their request, they went away. At about 6 P.M. on the same day when the complainant was returning to his village after his business, the above persons met him again near Electric Office and requested him to advance the money. At that time, the complainant had a cash of Rs 3 800/- in his pockets. The complainant accompanied the said four persons to some distance, and they all went to the house of Mariappa, where Mariappa, his wife and Changappa further urged the complainant to part with the money by negotiating the mortgage of the house. In the meantime, Changappa forcibly made the complainant wear a new pair of Chappals and drink a bottle of brandy and requested him to advance the money. The complainant being annoyed at their attitude gave Rs. 50/- to Changappa and proceeded towards his village. When the complainant was going near Ediga ground beyond Hosahalli road on foot, a Police jeep came from behind driven by a Reserve Policeman in Uniform and stopped by his side. In the said jeep, Reserve Sub-Inspector in uniform was sitting in the front seat and the

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aforesaid 4 persons were also sitting inside the Police jeep. Then Chengappa got down from the jeep and forcibly made the complainant to get into the jeep on the pretext of taking him to his village as the jeep was proceeding in that direction. When the complainant was being taken in the said jeep in between Salagame gate and Malaad Engineering College, Mariyappa closed his mouth and nose with a cloth piece containing bad smell and Changappa forcibly took away the cash of Rs. 3,750/- from his pocket. The complainant became unconscious and when he regained consciousness at about 5 or 6 A.M. next morning he noticed that he was lying on a cart track near Gundagaradana koppalu. As he was puzzled mentally, he did not inform any body about this incident and on the fourth day he went to his daughter's house at Katihally and returned to his village along with his sons. As such he could not lodge the complaint promptly. In his further statement before the Sub-Inspector of Police the complainant stated that on the very next morning of this incident, he returned to Hassan and searched for Changappa but could not trace him. He enquired with Mariyappa and his wife regarding the money, who promised to return the amount early. So he waited all these days and finally when they refused to return the amount he approached Shri Nuggahalli Shivappa, M.P., at Hassan and narrated the incident. As per his advice, he lodged his complaint on 3-3-74.

The Sub-Inspector of Police, Hassan Rural Police Station after registering the case in his Police Station Crime No. 30/74 u/s 392 I.P.C. continued the investigation. He immediately searched the houses of the accused persons mentioned in the complaint but no cash could be found.

On 1-4-1974, the Circle Inspector of Police, Hassan Circle took up further investigation of the case as per instructions of the Superintendent of Police, Hassan. During the course of investigation, it is ascertained that the two accused Police Officers concerned in this case are (1) R.S.I. Sri Rama Rao and (2) Dasappa H.C. 12, both of D.A.R. Hassan, were placed under suspension pending disposal of the above case. During the investigation, the Investigating Officer has seized a pair of chappals, which the complainant was forced to wear by the accused Changappa on the day of the incident. The Investigating Officer has also seized a cheque bearing No. 850923 post dated 4-4-74 for Rs. 1,000/- of Vijaya Bank issued by the accused R.S.I., Rama Rao in favour of the complainant with a view to making him to withdraw his complaint filed in the Police Station. Out of the 6 accused Persons concerned three namely, (1) R.S.I. Rama Rao (2) H.C. 12 Dasappa of D.A.R. and (3) Mariyappa @ Appegowda s/o Eregowda of Hassan Town have been arrested. The other 3 accused, namely Changappa, Papaiah and Chikkegowda are absconding. Efforts are being made to trace them, and further investigation is in progress.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಂಗಾರಪ್ಪ:—ಇದುವೇ ತನಕ ನಡೆದ ಶಕ್ತಿ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದುಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಚೆಕ್ ೪-೪-೧೬೬೪ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸಯಾ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಕಿ ಅಗಿರುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಒಂದು ಚೆಕ್ ಕೂಡ ಸಂಮಾರು ೫೦೦ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಅಥವಾ ಒಂದು ಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಚೆಕ್—that is also issued to B.S.I. Ranga Rao, but in favour of whom this cheque is issued is not known ಎಂದು ಪತ್ತೆಹಚ್ಚಿದ ವಿಷಯ ಗೊತ್ತಾಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯ ತಮ್ಮ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಇನ್ನೊಂದು ವಿಷಯವೇನೆಂದರೆ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ, ಅಪ್ಪೇಗೌಡ ಸನ್ ಅಥವಾ ಈರೇಗೌಡ ಎನ್ನುವವರು ಅರೆಸ್ಟ್ ಆಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ಉಳಿದ ಮೂರು ಜನ ಅರ್ಬ್‌ಸ್ಟಾಂಡಿಂಗ್ ಆಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು ಇದೆ. ಅವರು ಹಾಸನದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿಡುಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಆದರೆ ಅರೆಸ್ಟ್ ಆಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಉಳಿದದ್ದು ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ. ನಾನು ಹೇಳಿದ ಎರಡರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ವಿನಂತಿ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS.—We will get it investigated. It may not have come to the notice of the Investigating Officer. On the information now given, further investigation will take place. So far as the other three persons are concerned, the hon. Member seems to have information that they are still moving about in Hassan itself. We will try to see that they are rounded up as quickly as possible and if there is anybody to give clue as to where they are hiding, we will see that they are arrested.

(iii) *re—Scarcity of drinking Water in Chikera in Hirekerur Taluk*

SRI B.G. BANAKER (Hirekerur);—Sir I beg to call the attention of the Minister of Health and hard ship caused to the public due to the scarcity of drinking water in chikkerur Town in Hirekerur Taluk.

SRI H. SIDDABESWARA (Minister for Health).—Sir I like to make the following Statement.

A piped water supply scheme to Chikera in Hirekerur Taluk, Dharwar District, was sanctioned under the National Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Programme for Rs. 2,20,000/- in G.O. No. DPC 122 VRW 66 dated 16-1-1967. Two bore wells, rising main ground service reservoir and major portion of the distribution system were completed as long back as April '72. A deep well turbine pump set was erected over the bore well and commissioned during April 1972. Due to high capacity compared to the actual yield in the bore wells, the pump set stopped frequently as a result of which water could not be supplied. To obviate this another pump set was installed and it also did not work satisfactorily. Therefore, the concerned firm took back the pump set for repairs, but it could not repair the same on account of non-availability of spare parts. Hence orders were placed for supplying and commissioning of Ejecto Pump Sets and one centrifugal pump. This pump sets have now been installed and the water supply scheme commissioned on 10-4-1974. An outlay of Rs. 1,87,500 has been booked so far towards this work. Except for laying of 2500, of pipe line (3" to 4" diameter), all other works have been completed. Two more bore wells be sunk during May,